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Agricultural Society,

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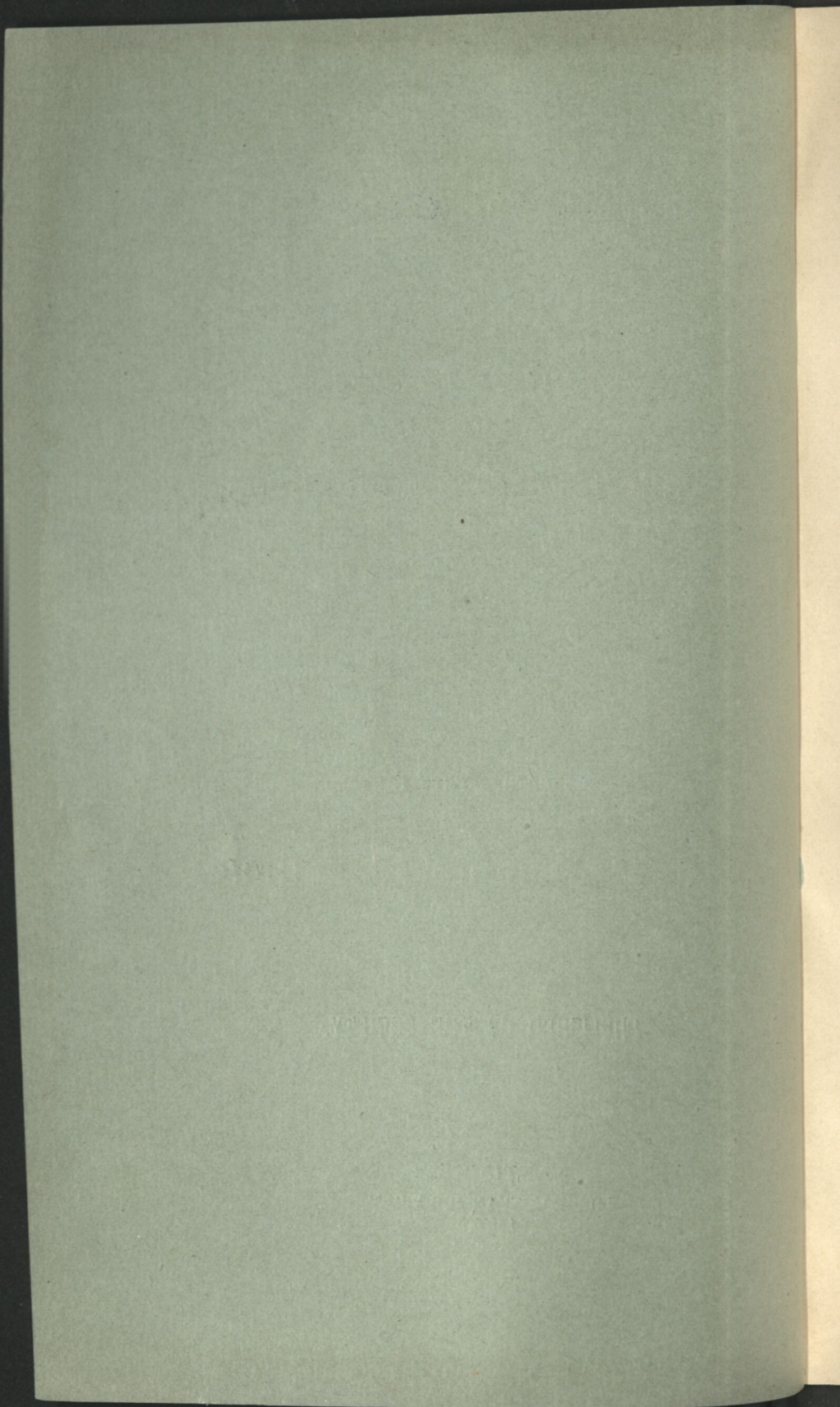
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List of Awards for 1897.

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Plowing.

With Horses.

R. E. Burgess & Sons, 1st premium	\$5 00
John H. Bartlett, 2d premium	4 00
Wallace Gardner, 3d premium	3 00

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Vegetables.

Collection.

John H. Bartlett, 1st premium	\$8 00
Wallace Gardner, 2d do	7 00
George H. Gardner, 3d do	6 00
William W. McIntosh, 4th do	5 00
George W. Norcross, 5th do	4 00
John Backus, special do	1 00
Marshall Barrett, special do	25

Display.

Wallace Gardner, potatoes, 1st premium	\$0 75
William W. McIntosh, potatoes, 2d do	50
“ “ “ oats, 1st do	75
“ “ “ rye, 1st do	75
“ “ “ beets, 1st do	75
“ “ “ cabbages, 1st do	75
“ “ “ single cabbage, 1st do	25
Edward B. Hussey, hops, special premium	25
Avis N. Bartlett, hops, special do	25

Stallions, Mares and Colts.

Brood Mare and Colt.

Charles F. Starbuck, 1st premium \$5 00

Brood Mare with Progeny.

Garland Bros., 1st premium \$5 00

Four Years Old Colts.

Clinton S. Folger, Eva, 1st premium \$5 00

David W. Gibbs, Baby Nye, 2d do 4 00

Herbert G. Worth, Kanaka, 3d do. 3 00

Garland Bros., Tony, special do 2 00

Three Years Old Colt.

John H. Bartlett, Little Dick, 1st premium \$4 00

Two Years Old Colts.

E. B. Harps, Beachwood, 1st premium \$3 00

Herbert G. Worth, Reta, 2d do 2 00

Gents' Driving Horses.

Ellenwood B. Coleman, 1st premium \$3 00

Herbert G. Worth, 2d do 2 00

Hiram C. Folger, 3d do 1 00

Joseph A. Johnson, special do 1 00

Family, Draught and Walking Horses.

Family Horses.

Joseph A. Johnson, pair, 1st premium \$4 00

Herbert G. Worth, pair, 2d do 3 00

“ “ “ single, 1st do 3 00

David W. Gibbs, single, 2d do 2 00

Benjamin F. Worth, single, 3d do 1 00

Draught Horses.

John H. Bartlett, pair, 1st premium \$4 00

Herbert G. Worth, pair, 2d do 3 00

William D. Appleton, single, 1st premium 3 00

John H. Bartlett, single, 2d do 2 00

Ernest G. Elliot, single, 3d do 1 00

Horses Raised and Owned in the County.

Lincoln Burgess, 1st premium	\$15 00
Herbert Thompson, 2d do	10 00

Horses Owned in the County.

Lincoln Burgess, 1st premium	\$25 00
Thomas Warren, 2d do	15 00
Herbert Tobey, 3d do	10 00

Cows and Heifers.

REGISTERED THOROUGHBREDS.

Edward C. Morey, herd, 1st premium	\$8 00
<i>Jersey Cows,</i>	

Simeon L. Lewis, Jr., Good Enough, No. 14,803, 1st prem. .	\$5 00
<i>Holstein Cows.</i>	

Wallace Gardner, No. 19,337, 1st premium	\$5 00
<i>Jersey Yearlings.</i>	

Edward C. Morey, 1st premium.	\$2 50
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Edward C. Morey, 2d do	1 50
<i>Devon Cows.</i>	

Edward C. Morey, Rizpah Stockwell, No. 9,740, 1st prem. .	\$5 00
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Edward C. Morey, Flossy, No. 10,041, 2d premium	4 00
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NOT REGISTERED THOROUGHBREDS.

Holstein Cows.

Sidney B. Folger, Buttercup, 1st premium	\$4 00
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Sidney B. Folger, Lady Rankin, 2d do	3 00
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Jersey Heifers.

Simeon L. Lewis, Jr., No Name, 1 year, 1st premium . . .	\$2 00
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Jersey Calves.

Simeon L. Lewis, Jr., 1st premium	\$1 00
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Simeon L. Lewis, Jr., 2d do	75
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GRADE JERSEYS.

Herd.

Wallace Gardner, 1st premium	\$5 00
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Edward C. Morey, 2d do	4 00
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Cows.

Wallace Gardner, 1st premium	\$3 00
John H. Bartlett, 2d do	2 00
Wallace Woodsum, 3d do	1 00
Mrs. George W. Norcross, Mayflower, special do	1 00
" " " " Cora, special do	1 00
Wallace Gardner, Lucy, special do	1 00
Wallace Woodsum, Pansy, special do	1 00
" " Maria, special do	1 00
Simeon L. Lewis, Jr., Belle, special do	1 00
Sidney B. Folger, Lizzie, special do	1 00
Frank Fisher, Rosa, special do	1 00
" " Daisy, special do	1 00
" " Lucy, special do	1 00
" " Dolly, special do	1 00

Four Heifers.

George W. Norcross, 1st premium	\$3 00
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Two Years Old in Milk.

Lawrence F. Mooney, Buttercup, 1st premium	\$3 00
Edward C. Morey, 2d do	2 00
Mrs. George W. Norcross, 3d do	1 00
Lawrence F. Mooney, Eva, special do.	1 00

One Year Old Heifers.

John H. Bartlett, 1st premium	\$2 00
Lawrence F. Mooney, 2d do	1 00
John Roberts, 2d, 3d do	50
Wallace Gardner, Pink,	50
Lawrence F. Mooney, May, special premium	50
" " " Daisy Belle, special premium	50
" " " Maggie, special premium	50
Simeon L. Lewis, Jr., Lottie, special premium	50
John H. Bartlett, Pansy, special premium	50
Edward C. Morey, 4 heifers, special premium	2 00

*GRADE DEVON.**Two Years in Milk.*

Edward C. Morey, Lottie, 1st premium	\$3 00
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GRADE GURNSEY

Wallace Gardner, cow, 1st premium	\$3 00
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GRADE ARYSHIRES.

Lawrence F. Mooney, cows, 1st premium	\$3 00
Wallace Woodsum, cows, 2d premium	2 00

GRADE HOLSTEINS.

William D. Appleton, Daisy, 1st premium	\$3 00
Wallace Gardner, Hatty, 2d premium	2 00
Benjamin F. Williams, 3d premium	1 00

Special Premiums.

Mrs. George W. Norcross, Dutchy	\$1 00
Wallace Gardner, Billy Boy	1 00
William D. Appleton	1 00
Garland Bros.	1 00
Frank Fisher	1 00
Sidney B. Folger, 4 cows, \$1.00 each	4 00

NATIVE & S.

Herds.

Garland Bros., 1st premium	\$4 00
John H. Bartlett, 2d premium	3 00

Cows.

Lawrence F. Mooney, Lizzie, 1st premium	\$2 00
Mrs. George W. Norcross, Roxy, 2d premium	1 00
“ “ “ “ Black Lassie, special premium.	1 00
“ “ “ “ Fannie, special premium	50
Frank Fisher, special premium	50

Two Years in Milk.

Mrs. George W. Norcross, 1st premium	\$2 00
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Two Years Not in Milk.

John H. Bartlett, 1st premium	\$1 50
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Yearlings.

Garland Bros., Daisy, 1st premium	\$1 00
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Calves.

Garland Bros., 1st premium	\$0 50
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Bulls.

JERSEYS.

Three Years

John Roberts, 2d, Grover, No. 6,734, 1st premium	\$5 00
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DEVONS.

Two Years.

Edward C. Morey, No. 6,298, 1st premium	\$4 00
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HOLSTEINS.

Two Years.

Gardner & Bartlett, No. 22,202, 21 months, 1st premium	\$4 00
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Working Oxen.

Sidney B. Folger, yoke, 1st premium	\$4 00
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Fat Cattle.

Fat Oxen.

D. W. Burgess & Son, pair, weight 4,050 lbs., 1st premium, \$5 00

Hogs.

Boars.

Ernest G. Elliot, Berkshire, 1st premium \$5 00

Sows.

Ernest G. Elliott, Berkshire, 1st premium \$5 00

Sows and Pigs.

Ernest G. Elliot, 1st premium \$5 00

Clinton S. Folger, 2d premium 4 00

Edward C. Morey, 3d premium 3 00

Clinton S. Folger, 4th premium 2 00

Weaned Pigs.

William H. H. Smith, 13 weaned pigs, 1st premium \$4 00

Poultry.

Pens Fowl.

S. L. Lewis, Jr., Plymouth Rocks, 1st premium \$1 00

Mrs. E. C. Morey, B. P. Rocks, 2d premium 75

Herbert G. Worth, White Plymouth Rocks, 1st premium . . 1 00

Sidney B. Folger, do, 2d premium 75

Herbert G. Worth, White Wyandottes, 1st premium 1 00

Sidney B. Folger, Houdans, 1st premium 1 00

" " " White Leghorns, 1st premium 1 00

" " " Brown Leghorns, 1st premium 1 00

" " " B. B. Game, 1st premium 1 00

Mrs. E. C. Morey, Buff Cochins, 1st premium 1 00

Sidney B. Folger, do., 2d premium 75

Mrs. E. C. Morey, Light Brahmas, 1st premium 1 00

" " " " Silver Spangled Hamburgs, 1st premium, 1 00

Pens Chicks.

S. L. Lewis Jr., Plymouth Rocks, 1st premium \$1 00

Mrs. E. C. Morey, do., 2d premium 75

D. W. Burgess & Son, do., special premium 50

" " " " do., special premium 50

" " " " White Plymouth Rocks, 1st premium, 1 00

Mrs. E. C. Morey, Buff Cochins, 1st premium	1 00
" " " " White Leghorns, 1st premium	1 00

Trios Fowl.

Herbert G. Worth, Light Brahmas, 1st premium	\$0 75
Sidney B. Folger, do., 2d premium	50
" " " do., special premium	25
" " " B. P. Game, 1st premium	75
" " " White Leghorns, 1st premium	75
" " " White Plymouth Rocks, 1st premium	75
" " " do., 2d premium	50
" " " Black Minorcas, 1st premium	75
" " " White Wyandottes, 1st premium	75
Mrs. E. C. Morey, Buff Cochins, 2d premium	50
" " " " White Cochins, 1st premium	75

Trios Chick.

S. L. Lewis, Jr., Langshan pullets, 1st premium	\$0 75
Mrs. E. C. Morey, Buff Cochin pullets, 1st premium	75
S. L. Lewis, Jr., do., 2d premium	50
Mrs. E. C. Morey, B. P. Rock pullets, 1st premium	75
S. L. Lewis, Jr., do., 2d premium	50
Sidney B. Folger, White Plymouth Rock pullets, 1st prem.,	75
Mrs. E. C. Morey, White Leghorn pullets, 1st premium	75

Pairs Fowl.

Sidney B. Folger, White Plymouth Rocks, 1st premium	\$0 50
" " " Dorkins, 1st premium	50
" " " White Wyandottes, 1st premium	50
Mrs. E. C. Morey, Buff Cochins, 1st premium	50
" " " " Buff Cochin pullets, 2d premium	25
" " " " Partridge Cochins, 1st premium	50
" " " " White Leghorns, 1st premium	50
" " " " B. P. Rock pullets, 1st premium	50

DUCKS.

Herbert G. Worth, trio Pekin ducks, 1st premium	\$1 00
Mrs. E. C. Morey, do., 2d premium	75
Charlie Thurston, 1 duck and 8 ducklings, special premium,	25
Frank Stevens, fan-tail pigeons	25
Benjamin Woodsum, goat	25

Bread.

Wheat Bread.

Mrs. John C. Ring, 1st premium	\$1 00
Mrs. Josiah F. Barrett, 2d premium	75

Mrs. Frank Lamb, 3d premium	50
Mrs. Rollin M. Allen, 4th premium	25

Competitors Under 16 Years.

Mildred Brooks, 1st premium	\$1 00
Minnie Folger, 2d premium	75

Indian Bread.

Katie O'Connell, 1st premium	\$1 00
Mrs. William S. Hussey, 2d premium	50

Graham Bread.

Mrs. Sarah O'Connell, 1st premium	\$1 00
Katie O'Connell, 2d premium	50

Special Premiums.

Mrs. Josiah F. Barrett, loaf entire wheat bread	\$0 75
Elsie Marvin, do.	25
Mrs. Mary F. Brown, do.	25
Mrs. Joseph M. Folger, do.	25
Mrs. Sarah O'Connell, do.	25
Katie O'Connell, do.	25
Mrs. Jennie Dunham, loaf Indian bread	25
Della Folger, do.	25
Mrs. John C. Ring, do.	25
Mrs. Sarah O'Connell, do.	25
Mrs. Charles B. Brooks, loaf Graham bread	25
Mrs. Joseph M. Folger, do.	25
Mrs. John C. Ring, do.	25
Mrs. David W. Gibbs, loaf cake	1 00
Elsie Marvin, do.	75

Honey, Preserves, Pickles, &c.

Mrs. E. B. Hussey, pickles, preserves, etc., special prem. . .	\$1 00
Anna Barrett, 1 jar piccalli, special premium	25
Marianna Hussey, 12 varieties home-made candy, do. . . .	50
Mabel Winslow, 1 dish home-made candy, do.	25

Butter.

Benjamin F. Worth, butter, 1st premium	\$3 00
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Fruit.

John V. Smith, collection house grapes, 1st premium . . .	\$5 00
Samuel King, do., 2d premium	4 00

Special Premiums.

Edward B. Hussey, dish blackberries	\$0 25
Mrs. Thomas G. Macy, 1 plate peaches	50
John V. Smith, 2 dishes pears	50
Albert Easton, do.	50
John V. Smith, 2 dishes apples	1 00
Mrs. Thomas G. Macy, plate do.	50
Miss Mary A. King, dish do.	50
Mrs. Charles C. Chadwick, do.	50
Mabel Winslow, dish pears	25
Mrs. Charles C. Chadwick, do	25
Mrs. John C. Ring, do.	50
William W. McIntosh, dish tomatoes	50
William H. Tice, do	25
Albert Easton, cranberries	25

Flowers.

Cut Flowers.

Mrs. John H. Bartlett, 1st premium	\$3 00
Mrs. Edward B. Hussey, 2d premium	2 00
Mrs. Wallace C. Marden, 3d premium	1 00
George S. Burdick, 4th premium	50

Special Premiums.

Robert B. King	\$0 50
Mrs. Elliot M. Brown	50
Mrs. Arthur H. Gardner	50
Jesse Brown	25
George H. Gardner	25
Bessie Cook	25
Marion Cook	25
Mabel Winslow	25
Marshall Barrett	25
Addie Barney	25
Mrs. Caroline H. Gruber	25
Grace Orpin	25
Edith M. Dunham	25
Katie O'Connell	25
John V. Smith	25

Collection House Plants.

Mrs. Charles C. Taber, 1st premium	\$3 00
Mrs. John V. Smith, 2d premium	2 00
George S. Burdick, 3d premium	1 00

Special Premiums.

Mrs. Thomas G. Macy	\$0 75
Sadie Macy	75
Mrs. John H. Bartlett	25
George H. Gardner	25
H. G. Sheffield	25
Marion Cook	25
Marianna Hussey	25
Addie Barney	25
Mrs. Edward B. Hussey	25

Collection Wild Flowers.

Grace B. Gardner, 44 varieties, 1st premium	\$2 00
Mrs. F. Willets Folger, 2d premium	1 00
Marianna Hussey, 3d premium	50
Mrs. David W. Gibbs, special premium	50
George S. Burdick, special premium	50

Best Design of Cut Flowers.

Mrs. Willard Marden, 1st premium	\$3 00
Mrs. John H. Bartlett, 2d premium	2 00

Penmanship.

Children Under 10 Years.

Bertie Joy, 1st premium	\$1 50
Alice Smith, 2d premium	1 00
Helen Long, 3d premium	50

Special Premiums.

Carrie Miller	\$0 25
Josie Swain	25
Annie Sylvia	25
Randolph Swain	25

Children from 10 to 18 Years.

Addie Macy, 1st premium	\$1 50
Grace M. Orpin, 2d premium	1 00
Rebecca Smith, 3d premium	50

Special Premiums.

Mildred Brooks	\$0 25
Cora Norcross	25
Bertie Orpin	25
Bessie Parker	25
Grace B. Gardner	25
Ada Norcross	25

School Work.

Children Under 8 Years.

Frank Chase, 10 drawings, 1st premium \$1 00

Children Under 13 Years.

Marshall Barrett, 3 drawings, 1st premium \$2 00

Children from 13 to 18 Years.

Rebecca Smith, 1 original drawing, 1st premium \$3 00

Archie Cartwright, 1 original drawing, 2d premium 2 00

Grace B. Gardner, 2 drawings from nature, 3d premium 1 00

Domestic Manufactures.

Capt. James Wyer, rattan baskets, 1st premium \$2 00

Knit Goods.

Miss E. S. Chase, collection, 1st premium \$1 00

Mrs. Thaddeus C. Defriez, do., 2d premium 50

Mrs. Caroline Holmes, hosiery, 1st premium 1 00

Special Premiums.

Mrs. Joseph A. Sylvario \$1 00

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Marvin 75

Mrs. George M. Swain 75

Mrs. William S. Simpson 75

Mrs. Reuben C. Long 50

Mrs. Robert W. Coleman 50

Sarah Gildea 50

Mrs. Caroline Holmes 50

Mrs. John M. Winslow 50

Lillian C. Holmes 50

Anna Barrett 50

Grace McCann 50

Fancy Articles.

Collection.

Eliza Coffin, 1st premium \$4 00

Anna Barrett, 2d premium 3 00

Mrs. Helen B. Worth, 3d premium 2 00

Special Premiums.

Minnie Coffin \$2 00

Mrs. Meiggs 1 50

Carrie B. Macy	1 50
Sarah Gildea	1 50
Marianna Hussey	1 25
Lizzie Snow	1 00
Mrs. Heman Eldredge	1 00
Ellouise Adams	1 00
Mrs. Avis M. Bartlett	1 00
Mrs. M. A. Simpson	1 00
Mrs. Reuben C. Long	1 00
Mrs. Ellenwood B. Coleman	1 00
Susie Jones	75
Mrs. Rollin M. Allen	75
Nina Riddell	75
Mrs. Caroline Gruber	75
Rhoda Freeborn	75
Mrs. Frank Lamb	75
Emma F. Wyer	75
Mildred Brooks	50
Emily C. Chase	50
Abbie Curley	50
Mrs. Caroline A. George	50
Grace B. Gardner	50
Ethel C. Remsen	50
Mrs. Wallace C. Marden	50
Mrs. Martha Colesworthy	25
Mrs. Grace Dennis	25
Mrs. Obed A. Morris	25
Mrs. Myra Coffin	25
John Sylvia, miniature windmill, special premium	1 00
Charles Grant, sailors' cot, special premium	1 00

Single Specimens.

Milie Robinson, 1st premium	\$3 00
Miss Corse, 2d premium	2 00
Rebecca Smith, 3d premium	1 00

Laundry Work.

Mrs. David W. Gibbs, 1st premium	\$1 50
Mrs. Peter L. Sylvia, 2d premium	1 00

Fine Arts.

Wendell Macy, collection of oil paintings, 1st premium	\$5 00
Wendell Macy, single oil painting, 1st premium	5 00
Sara Winthrop Smith, single oil painting, 2d premium	3 00
Annie S. Riddell, collection water colors, 1st premium	4 00

Sara Winthrop Smith, do., 2d premium	3 00
Arthur E Jenks, crayon, special premium	3 00
Wendell Macy, do., special premium	3 00
Minnie Coffin, special premium	1 00
Emma F. Wyer, do.	75

Treasurer's Report.

Asa C. Jones, Treasurer, in account with Nantucket Agricultural Society.

1896.	DR.	
October 24, Balance in hands of Treasurer		\$121 21
October 24, Received from State Treasurer (Bounty) . .		587 25
1897.		
September 23, Received from all other sources		584 63
<i>Total Receipts</i>		<u>\$1293 09</u>

1896.	CR.	
November 15, Paid Premiums and Gratuities . .		\$597.38
1897.		
October 25, Paid current expenses		711.54
October 25, Expense rebuilding race track . . .		557.11
		<u>\$1866.03</u>

Total indebtedness, 572.94.

ASA C. JONES, *Treasurer.*

List of Premiums for 1898.

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FARMS AND SWAMP LANDS.

Committee—Executive Board.

For the best conducted farm in the County, two premiums, \$25, 20
For reclaiming swamp land, not less than one-half acre . . . 6

FOREST AND FRUIT TREES.

Committee—Executive Board.

For the best lot of Pine or other Forest Trees, of not less
than 5 acres, from seed planted within 5 years, 2 pre. . . \$8, 5
For the best lot of Fruit Trees, not less than 20 in number,
and set out within three years, 2 premiums 5, 3

PLOWING.

Committee--W. W. McIntosh, D. W. Gibbs, Andrew Johnson.

For the best experiment in Plowing with horses, not less
than six inches deep, 3 premiums \$5, 4, 3
For the best experiment in Plowing with oxen, single team,
and not less than six inches deep, 3 premiums 5, 4, 3

All persons plowing shall drive their own teams.

All persons competing for plowing will make their entries with
the Secretary.

ART. II.—Every person entering for plowing will be required to hold the plow.

EXPERIMENTAL CROPS.

Committee—Executive Board.

For the best experiment to ascertain the relative value of
level or hill culture \$15
For the best experiment in ascertaining the most profitable
method of seeding for potatoes, 2 premiums 15, 10
For the best acre of Corn, not less than 50 bu. to acre, 3 pre., 8, 6, 4
For the best acre of Rye, not less than 15 bu. to acre, 2 pre., 5, 3
For the best acre of Wheat, not less than 20 bu. to acre, 2 pre., 5, 3
For best half-acre Potatoes, not less than 150 bu. to acre, 2
premiums 5, 3
For best acre of Oats, not less than 30 bu. to acre, 2 prem. . 5, 3
For best acre of Barley, not less than 30 bu. to acre, 2 pre. . 5, 3
For best acre of Hay, not less than 3 tons to acre, 2 pre. . 5, 3
For best quarter-acre Beets, not less than 500 bu. to acre,
2 premiums 5, 3

For best half-acre Turnips, not less than 300 bu. to acre, 3 premiums	5, 4, 3
For best quarter-acre Carrots, not less than 300 bu. to acre, 2 premiums	5, 3
For best eighth-acre of Onions, not less than 200 bu. to acre, 2 premiums	5, 3
For best quarter-acre of Beans, not less than 20 bu. to acre, 2 premiums	5, 3
For best half-acre of Cranberries, 2 premiums	5, 3
For best eighth-acre of Strawberries, 2 premiums	5, 3
For best eighth acre of Blackberries, 2 premiums	5, 3

In all premiums for Experimental Crops, regard shall be had to cost of production as well as quantity and quality of crop.

In all reports for Experimental Crop of Potatoes, the cost of seed for each row shall be given.

VEGETABLES.

Expert employed by the society.

Premiums and Gratuities on Garden Vegetables will be awarded not exceeding in amount the sum of \$55.

For the best collection of vegetables, 8 prem., \$8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1	
For the best display of Potatoes, not less than three varieties, $\frac{1}{2}$ bu. in each variety, 4 premiums	1, .75, .50, .25
For the best display of Onions, not less than 2 varieties, 4 premiums	1, .75, .50, .25
For the best specimen of Wheat, Barley, Oats, Rye, Carrots, Beets, Parsnips, Turnips, Potatoes and Onions, half-bushel each, and Pumpkins and Cabbages, one dozen each, three premiums75, .50, .25
For the best display of Corn, not less than three varieties, twelve ears in each variety, three premiums	1.50, 1, .75
For the best single variety of Corn, not less than twelve ears, 3 premiums75, .50, .25
For the largest single specimen of any vegetable raised by the contributor, special premium25

DOMESTIC ANIMALS.

All animals entered for premium must be entered in owner's name. No horse, or pair of horses, shall be used in more than two classes the same year, except for plowing.

HORSES.

Stallions, Mares and Colts.

Judge—Expert employed by the society.

For the best stallion, with pedigree	\$10
For the best brood mare, with nursing colt at her side, 2 prem., 5, 4	
For the best brood mare in foal, with 1 or more of her progeny, 2 premiums5, 4
For the best four years old colt owned in the county, shown to harness, three premiums5, 4, 3
For the best three year old colt, shown to harness, 3 prem., 4, 3, 2	
For the best two years old colt, three premiums	3, 2, 1
For the best one years old colt, three premiums	3, 2, 1
For the best weaned colt under one year, two premiums	2, 1

Gentlemen's Driving Horses.

For the best pair Gentleman's Driving Horses, three pre., \$5, 4, 3
 For the best single Gentleman's Driving Horse, three pre., 4, 3, 2

Family, Draught and Walking Horses.

Expert employed by the society.

For the best pair of Family Horses, three premiums . . . \$5, 4, 3
 For the best Family Horse, three premiums . . . 4, 3, 2
 For the best pair Draught Horses, three premiums . . . 5, 4, 3
 For the best Draught Horse, three premiums . . . 4, 3, 2
 For the best Walking Horse, to be tried on the track, to
 walk round the course in seven minutes, three prem., 4, 3, 2

Horses Foaled and Owned in the County.

For the best Trotting Horse foaled in the County, to be
 tried on the track, three premiums . . . \$15, 10, 5
 For the best Trotting Horse owned in the County, to be
 tried on the track, three premiums . . . 25, 15, 10

COWS AND HEIFERS.

Committee on both the registered and non-registered classes,
 the experts employed by the society

REGISTERED THOROUGHBREDS.

For the best herd of Jerseys, consisting of bull two years
 old or over, with four cows or heifers, two years old or
 over, in milk, belonging to any one person, two prems., \$8, 6
 For the best Jersey Cow, three premiums . . . 5, 4, 3
 " " " two years old Jersey Heifer, in milk, 3 prem., 4, 3, 2
 " " " " " not in milk, 3 pre. 3, 2, 1
 " " " one year old Jersey Heifer, three pre., 2.50, 1.50, .75
 " " " Jersey Calf, three premiums . . . 2, 1, .50
 " " " four two years old Jersey Heifers, 3 prem. . . 4, 3, 2

All other breeds under this heading to rate the same as above,
 with same premiums.

ART 14.—All persons exhibiting thoroughbred breeding stock are required to
 furnish pedigree, registered or not registered, to entitle them to a premium.

This rule will be rigidly enforced.

NOT REGISTERED THOROUGHBREDS.

For the best herd of twelve or more cows, in milk, of any sin-
 gle breed, headed by a Bull, a special premium of \$20 is offered.

For the best herd of Jerseys, consisting of bull two years old
 or over, with four cows or heifers, two years old or over,
 in milk, belonging to any one person, two premiums . . \$3, 4
 For the best Jersey Cow, three premiums . . . 4, 3, 2
 For the best two years old Jersey Heifer, in milk, 3 prem. . 3, 2, 1
 For the best two years old Jersey Heifer, not in milk, 3
 premiums . . . 2, 1.50, 1
 For the best one year old Jersey Heifer, three prem. . . 2, 1, .75
 For the best Jersey Calf, three premiums . . . 1, .75, .50
 For the best four, two years old Jersey Heifers, three pre. . 3, 2, 1
 All other breeds under this heading to rate the same as above,
 with same premiums.

ART.—All persons exhibiting thoroughbred breeding stock are required to fur-
 nish pedigree, registered or not registered, to entitle them to a premium.

This rule will be rigidly enforced.

GRADE JERSEYS.

Expert employed by the society.

No premium shall be paid a grade cow or heifer unless the sire or dam is a thoroughbred. This rule will be rigidly enforced.

For the best herd of Jersey grade cows, three premiums,	\$5, 4, 3
“ “ “ Jersey grade cow, three premiums	3, 2, 1
“ “ “ two years old Jersey grade heifer, in milk, three premiums	3, 2, 1
For the best two years old Jersey grade heifer, not in milk, three premiums	2.50, 1.50, 1
For the best one year old grade Jersey heifer, three pre.,	2, 1, .50
“ “ “ Jersey grade calf, two premiums	1, .50
“ “ “ four two years old heifers, three premiums .	3, 2, 1

GRADE AyrSHIRES.

Expert employed by the society.

For the best herd of Ayrshire grade cows, three premiums,	\$5, 4, 3
“ “ “ Ayrshire grade cow, three premiums	3, 2, 1
“ “ “ two years old Ayrshire grade heifer, in milk, three premiums	3, 2, 1
For the best two years old Ayrshire grade heifer, not in milk, three premiums	2.50, 1.50, 1
For the best one year old Ayrshire grade heifer, 3 prem.,	2, 1, .50
“ “ “ Ayrshire grade calf, two premiums	1, .50
“ “ “ four two years old heifers, three premiums,	3, 2, 1

GRADE HOLSTEINS.

Expert employed by the society.

For the best herd of Holstein grade cows, three premiums,	\$5, 4, 3
“ “ “ Holstein grade cow, three premiums	3, 2, 1
“ “ “ two years old Holstein grade heifer, in milk, three premiums	3, 2, 1
For the best two years old Holstein grade heifer, not in milk, three premiums	2.50, 1.50, 1
For the best one year old Holstein grade calf, three pre.,	2, 1, .50
“ “ “ Holstein grade calf, two premiums	1, .50
“ “ “ four two years old heifers, three premiums,	3, 2, 1

NATIVES.

Expert employed by the society.

For the best herd of five Native cows, three premiums . .	\$4, 3, 2
“ “ “ Native cow, two premiums	2, 1
“ “ “ two years old Native heifer, in milk, 2 prem.,	2, 1
“ “ “ “ “ “ “ “ two premiums,	1.50, 1
“ “ “ one year “ “ “ “ “ “	1, .50

SPECIAL PREMIUMS.

Expert employed by the society.

For the best herd of five cows of any breed, not enter- ed in any other class, five premiums	\$5, 4, 3, 2, 1
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BULLS.

Expert employed by the society.

For the best Jersey bull, three years old, to be kept nine months in the county, two premiums	\$5, 4
For the best Jersey bull, two years old, to be kept nine months in the county, two premiums	4, 3
For the best Jersey bull, one year old, two premiums	3, 2
For the best Jersey calf, two premiums	2, 1

All other breeds under this heading to rate the same as above, with same premiums.

ART.—All persons exhibiting thoroughbred breeding stock are required to furnish pedigree, registered or not registered, to entitle them to a premium.

SPECIAL PREMIUMS.

To encourage farmers to provide themselves with the best male breeding stock, the society offers the following premiums:

For the best registered Bull of any breed, two years old or over, three premiums	\$5, 4, 3
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WORKING OXEN AND STEERS.

Expert employed by the society.

Working oxen and steers shall be tested in yoke by the committee on examination, and exhibited in one string for the benefit of the committee. All steers shall be brought to the ground in yoke.

For the best yoke of Working Oxen, two premiums	\$4, 3
“ “ “ “ “ Steers, three years old, two prem	3, 2
“ “ “ “ “ “ two years old, two prem	2, 1
“ “ “ “ “ “ one year old or less, two prem	1, .50

FAT CATTLE.

For the best pair of Fat Oxen, weight to be not less than 3000 pounds, first premium	\$5
For the best pair of Fat Oxen weight to be not less than 2500 pounds, second premium	4
For the best Fat Ox, weight to be not less than 1500 pounds, first premium	3
For the best Fat Ox, weight to be not less than 1250 pounds, second premium	2
For the best Fat Cow, two premiums	2, 1
For the best Fat Hog, two premiums	3, 2
Fat Oxen shall not compete with Working Oxen.	

HOGS.

Expert employed by the Society.

For the best thoroughbred Yorkshire boar, two prem	\$5, 4
For the best thoroughbred Yorkshire sow, two prem	5, 4
All other breeds to rank the same, with the same premiums.	

For the best Sow, with not less than six pigs, four pre ,	5, 4, 3, 2
For the best lot of not less than six Weaned Pigs, not over twelve weeks old, three premiums	4, 3, 2
For the best lot of not less than six Shoats, not less than three nor more than six months old, three prem	5, 4, 3

SHEEP.

Expert employed by the society.

- For the best Southdown Buck, pure blood, three prem . . \$5, 4, 3
 For the best Southdown Ewes, not less than 5, three prem., 5, 4, 3
 For the best lot of not less than 5 grade Southdown Ewes,
 three premiums 4, 3, 2
 For the best lot of not less than 5 grade Southdown Lambs,
 three premiums 3, 2, 1

All other breeds under this heading to rate the same as above,
 with same premiums.

POULTRY.

Expert employed by the society.

- For the best pen of Plymouth Rock Fowls, 4 hens and 1
 cock, two premiums \$1.50, 1
 For the best pen of Plymouth Rock Fowls, 4 pullets and 1
 cockerel, two premiums 1.50, 1
 For the best trio of Plymouth Rock Fowls, 2 hens and 1
 cock, 2 premiums 1, .75
 For the best trio of Plymouth Rock Fowls, 2 pullets and 1
 cockerel, two premiums 1, .75
 For the best pair of Plymouth Rock Fowls, two prem . . .75, .50
 For the best trio of Ducks, two premiums 2, 1
 For the best trio of Geese, two premiums 2, 1
 For the best trio of Turkeys, two premiums 2, 1
 For the largest and best exhibit of Poultry, three prem . . 5, 3, 2

All other breeds under this heading to rate the same as above,
 with same premiums.

Exhibitors are to show their fowls at the grounds, in neat and
 tasty coops, of regulation size, say two feet square for single birds
 and pairs, and two and one-half feet by four feet for pens, and all
 coops not complying with the above rule will be barred out.

MISCELLANEOUS.

BREAD.

Committee—Mrs. B. F. Wyer, Mrs. Joseph A. Johnson, Mrs.
 J. Freeman.

- For the best loaf of Wheat Yeast Bread, to be made by
 competitor, four premiums \$1, .75, .50, .25
 For the best loaf of Wheat Yeast Bread to be made by
 competitor, 16 years of age or under, 4 prem . . 1, .75, .50, .25
 For the best loaf of Indian Bread, two prem . . . 1, .50
 For the best loaf of Graham Bread, two prem . . . 1, .50
 To be distributed at the discretion of committee. . . 5

All loaves on exhibition to be numbered, without any names
 attached.

All bread for premium must be donated to the society, for the
 benefit of the poor.

HONEY, PRESERVES, PICKLES, ETC.

Committee—Mrs. A. C. Jones, Mrs. J. S. Appleton, Jr., Mrs.
 J. F. Murphy.

For the best display of Honey in comb	\$1.50, 1
For the best display of strained Honey	1.50, 1
At discretion of committee	5

BUTTER AND CHEESE.

Committee—Mrs. W. H. H. Smith, Mrs. J. F. Murphey, Mrs. J. H. Bartlett.

For the best lot of Butter of not less than 2 pounds, five premiums	\$3, 2.50, 2, 1.50, 1
For the best Cheese, three premiums	3, 2, 1

All butter shall be entered with number, and without stamp or other mark to designate maker.

FRUIT.

Expert employed by the society

For the best collection of House Grapes, not less than three varieties, three premiums	\$5, 4, 3
For the best collection of Out-door Grapes, not less than three varieties, three premiums	3, 2, 1
For the best collection of Pears, not less than ten varieties of eight specimens each, four premiums	5, 4, 3, 2
For the best and largest collection of Apples, not less than five varieties, two premiums	3, 2
For the best single dish of Grapes of every variety	1
For the best single dish of Pears of every variety	1
For the best exhibit of Cranberries, not less than $\frac{1}{2}$ bushel, two premiums	2, 1
For the best exhibit of Watermelons, not less than 6, 2 pre.	2, 1
For the best exhibit of Muskmelons, not less than 6, 2 pre.	2, 1
For the best exhibit of Tomatoes, not less than 1 peck, 2 pre.	2, 1
To be distributed at the discretion of committee in gratuities.,	20

Those receiving an award for best collection cannot receive an award for a single dish, if in the collection.

FLOWERS.

Committee—Mrs. A. C. Jones, Miss Marianna Hussey, Miss Anne Ring.

For the best show of Cut Flower-, produced by the ex- hibitor, four premiums	\$3, 2, 1, .50
For the best collection of House Plants, three prem	3, 2, 1
For the best collection of Wild Flowers, three pre.	2, 1, .50
For the best design of Cut Flowers, raised by the ex- hibitor, four premiums	3, 2, 1, .50

PENMANSHIP.

Committee—Miss Ellen Cox, Stanley E. Johnson, Alexander M. Myrick.

For the best specimen of penmanship:

CLASS I. For children ten years of age or under, three premiums	\$1.50, 1, .50
CLASS II. For children from ten to eighteen years old, three premiums	1.50, 1, .50

Each competitor of the first class to write rule 3 of the society.

Each competitor of the second class to write rule 13.

WORK OF SCHOOL CHILDREN IN MODELING AND DRAWING.

Committee—Miss Sara Winthrop Smith, Stanley E. Johnson, Alexander M. Myrick.

Primary grade, under 8 years, modeling and constructing simple articles, drawing and designs, 3 prem. . .	\$1, .75, .50
Grammar and Intermediate grades, drawing, construction and design, 8 to 13 years, three premiums . . .	2, 1, .75
Drawing, construction and design, 13 to 18 years, 3 pre. . .	3, 2, 1

DOMESTIC MANUFACTURES.

Committee—Mrs. J. F. Murphey, Asa C. Jones, Mrs. William H. H. Smith.

For the best display of Boots and Shoes made in the county, three premiums	\$3, 2, 1
For the best single pair	1
“ “ “ lot of Hosiery, two premiums	1, .50
“ “ “ of Knit Goods, two premiums	1, .50
“ “ “ of Willow or Rattan Baskets, 2 prem.	2, 1
“ “ “ Carriage of home manufacture	5
“ “ “ Carriage Harness	3
“ “ “ collection of Tin Plate Work	2
To be distributed at the discretion of committee, if required, . . .	10

FANCY ARTICLES.

Committee—Mrs. Lincoln Burgess, Miss Ethel Coffin, Miss Edith Worth

The committee will make awards for Fancy Articles not exceeding in amount	\$50
For best and largest collection of Fancy Articles, 3 prem.	4, 3, 2
“ “ single specimen of Fancy Work, 3 prem.	3, 2, 1
“ “ specimen Sewing Machine Fancy Work, 2 prem.	2, 1
“ “ specimen of Laundry Work, 2 premiums	1.50, 1

FINE ARTS.

Committee—Stanley E. Johnson, Wendell Macy, Edgar F. Whitman.

For the best picture executed by the contributor, 2 pre	\$5, 3
“ “ “ collection of Oil Paintings, two premiums	5, 3
“ “ “ collection of Water Color Paintings, 2 prem	4, 3
“ “ “ specimen of Decorative Art, two premiums	3, 2
“ “ “ collection of Photographic Art, two prem	2, 1

REPORTS.

For the best experiment with manure, with a statement in writing (which is to be left with the Secretary previous to September 1) showing the kind and cost, 2 prem.	\$5, 3
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All entries for exhibition at the hall must be made previous to 10 o'clock A. M. of the first day of the Fair. The door will be open to the public at 1 P. M.

General Rules.

FIRST.—All entries (except horses) must be made previous to 10 o'clock a. m., of the first day of the Fair. All horses must be entered previous to 10 o'clock of the second day of the Fair.

SECOND.—Competitors must be the owners of the animals offered. All fruits and vegetables must be raised by the person presenting them.

THIRD.—All articles exhibited must remain during the Fair.

FOURTH.—No animal or article will be entitled to a premium, which is removed by the owner without permission of the Committee of Arrangements.

FIFTH.—All animals or articles exhibited will have all possible care, but must be at the risk of the owner.

SIXTH.—Upon application to the Secretary, the Committee on Crops will visit any farm, field or crops entered for premium. All entries must be made on or before May 1st.

SEVENTH.—It will be optional with the various committees to award a premium or not, as the thing entered for it may in their judgment deserve, whether there is competition or not.

EIGHTH.—No person receiving a premium for a collection of animals, vegetables or articles, is entitled to a premium for any single article in said collection at the same exhibition. This rule shall not apply to horses.

NINTH.—All premiums awarded and not called for within fifteen days will be added to the capital stock of the Society.

TENTH.—Any person may become a member of this Society by signing the constitution, and if a male, paying to the Treasurer \$2, and if a female, \$1.

ELEVENTH.—Every person entering for plowing will be required to hold the plow.

TWELFTH.—All neat stock and horses should be kept in the county at least two months next preceding the exhibition, and all male breeding stock nine months, either before and after or before or after the exhibition.

THIRTEENTH.—All persons in the county may compete for the premiums offered; but in case a premium is awarded to a person not a member of the Society, the admission fee of a member will be deducted; but premiums and gratuities of less sums than the admission fees will be paid to all persons to whom they are awarded.

FOURTEENTH.—All persons exhibiting thoroughbred breeding stock are required to furnish pedigree, registered or not registered, to entitle them to a premium. This rule will be rigidly enforced.

FIFTEENTH.—No person will be allowed to engage in any business, traffic or exhibition on the Fair Ground or at the Hall, without a permit from the Superintendent.

SIXTEENTH.—No animal or article will receive a gratuity larger than the lowest premium in its class.

SEVENTEENTH.—All canned fruits, bread, butter, cheese and honey shall be tested by the committee before making the awards. All bread for premium must be donated.

EIGHTEENTH.—No person shall be entitled to a premium on any article of Manufacture, Mechanics or Fine Arts, Butter, Cheese, Grain, Seeds or Vegetables, unless the same shall have been manufactured, executed made, raised or grown by such person or his family.

NINETEENTH.—In entering colts, the exact age must be given in days, months and years, up to the age of four years, when they will be classified as four years old, etc.

TWENTIETH.—In all premiums for experimental crops, regard shall be had to cost of production as well as quantity and quality.

TWENTY-FIRST.—If amount of premiums exceeds bounty offered by the State, viz., \$600, each person drawing a premium shall be paid pro rata.

Particular Notice to Judges.

Judges are requested to be prompt at the place of meeting, and to make themselves acquainted with their associates without any hesitation. They should make themselves familiar with the details of the Arrangements and List of Premiums, and each member shall have a copy of the same in hand during the exhibition, for reference. They should render all the aid in their power in diffusing information and inciting competition, as the success of the exhibition depends, in a great measure, on the manner in which they discharge their duties.

The Judges may fill a vacancy occurring in their number, and members may act if the number cannot be conveniently filled.

No claimant for a premium can act as judge upon the subject for which he makes his claim.

The Chairman of every board of Judges is expected and particularly requested by the officers and rules of the Society, to make a full report in writing of whatever comes under the notice of the board on which he serves and send the same to the Secretary of the Society as soon after the exhibition as possible, *but certainly within thirty days*, so that the same may be printed in the Transactions without too much delay. Reports of all classes on exhibition are very much desired, and it is hoped that this year the Judges will see that this important suggestion is attended to.

